# Common Core State Standards

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#### **Common Core Standards**

- Adopted by the State Board of Education in August 2010
  - Common Core Standards for English Language Arts & Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects
  - Common Core Standards for Mathematics



### Framing Questions

- 1. How is teaching changing in the CCSS world?
- 2. How do teachers and leaders need to think, plan, teach and assess students differently?
- 3. What knowledge, skills and strategies are most important?
- 4. What are the implications for teacher preparation?



### **Teacher Preparation**

- Subject Matter Requirements (SMRs) updated to maintain alignment with CCSS
  - Multiple Subject
  - Single Subject: English
  - Single Subject: Mathematics



### Subject Matter Requirement

- Commission-approved subject matter waiver programs:
  - -English and Mathematics: updated alignment matrices by June 2014
- Commission-owned subject matter examinations—CCSS items in place as of August 2014



### **Teacher Preparation**

- Teaching Performance
   Expectations have been updated to be aligned with the CCSS
  - -2013-14: Programs begin to integrate revised TPEs
  - -2014-15: Revised TPEs must be fully integrated into MS/SS Programs



## Teaching Performance Assessments (TPA)

 Commission-approved TPAs will begin to gather and use marker papers that reference the CCSS

◆ TPA Assessors will need to be very familiar with CCSS to be able to score TPAs



#### **Program Standards**

- Revised Multiple Subject and Single Subject Teacher
   Preparation Program Standards (Preliminary and Induction) will be developed beginning in 2014
- CCSS will be a major consideration as well as the TAP Recommendations



#### CCSS

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